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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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255 AM NITEL 5-4-71 FPN

TO DIRECTOR

FROM NEW YORK(91-10190)

UNSUB THREE FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK TWO FOUR NINE -

- FOUR SIX HORACE HARDING BLVD., QUEENS NY MAY THREE LAST BR 00 NY

AT ABOUT ONE THREE FIVE PM CAPTIONED DATE, THREE WHITE  
MALES CARRYING HANDGUNS ENTERED CAPTIONED FDIC INSURED BANK.  
UNSUB ONE HELD BANK MANAGER AT BAY IN FRONT AREA OF BANK.  
UNSUB TWO VOULTED TELLERS COUNTER AND PICKED UP MONEY AT TWO  
TELLERS STATIONS. UNSUB THREE HELD TELLERS AT BAY IN REAR AREA  
OF BANK. UNSUBS ESCAPED ON FOOT THROUGH BANK PARKING LOT.  
CONTINUATION OF ESCAPE ROUTE UNKNOWN. BANK EQUIPPED WITH

BEING PROCESSED. BANK PROCESSED BY  
NYCPD, LATENTS OF UNKNOWN VALUE OBTAINED. NEIGHBORHOOD CONDUCTED  
BY BUAGENTS AND NYCPD WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. LOSS

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PG TWO

DESCRIPTION OF UNSUB ONE ; W/ M, THREE FIVE -THREE SEVEN YRS,  
FIVE FOOT EIGHT, ONE SIX ZERO LBS, GREYISH BLACK HAIR, POSSIBLY  
ITALIAN EXTRACTION, BLACK PANTS CARRYING AUTOMATIC PISTOL.

UNSUB TWO , W/M, FIVE FOOT SIX, ONE SIX FIVE LBS, LATE TWO ' S  
EARLY THREE ZERO' S, WEARING BLACK WIG AND FALSE MUSTACHE, BLACK  
GLOVES, DARK CLOTHING, CARRYING LONG BARREL REVOLVER.

UNSUB THREE W/M, FOUR FIVE -FIVE ZERO YRS, FIVE FOOT FOUR  
STOCKY BUILD, WEARING BLACK HAT AND CARRYING LARGE AUTOMATIC  
PISTOL. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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**AIRTEL**

To: Director, FBI (91- )

Date: 5/6/71

From: SAC, NEW YORK

(91- 10190 )

Attention: Bank Robbery Unit

Check one: ☒ Robbery  
☐ Burglary  
☐ LarcenySubject: UNSUBS (3);  
Franklin National Bank

249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.

Queens, NY

5/3/71

BR

**VIOLATION**

Institution: (check one, all violations)

☒ Bank☐ Savings & Loan☐ Federal Credit Union

Regulatory Agency: (check one, all violations except Federal Credit Unions)

☐ FDIC☒ Comptroller of the Currency☐ Federal Reserve System☐ Federal Home Loan Bank Board

Security Devices: (complete for all violations)

Alarm system

Surveillance camera

Identifiable photo of subject(s) obtained

Bait money maintained

Activated

Activated

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Subjects: (complete for all violations)

Number involved 3 or if unknown, as in burglary, check ☐Number of males 3 Females           Number of Caucasians 3 Negroes            Mongolians           **Robberies ONLY:**

Demand note

☐ Yes☒ No

Gun displayed

☒ Yes☐ No

Threat of explosives

☐ Yes☒ No**Burglaries ONLY:**

Burning equipment used

☐ Yes☐ No

Tools used

☐ Yes☐ No

Explosives used

☐ Yes☐ No**NOT RECORDED****Loot taken: (all violations)**

Loot

☒ Yes☐ No

Other property taken

☐ Yes☒ No

Amount of cash

Value

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**Violence: (all violations)**

Shooting

☐ Yes☒ No

Beating(s)

☐ Yes☒ No

Any serious injury

☐ Yes☒ No

Explosion(s)

☐ Yes☒ No

Any deaths

☐ Yes☒ No

Hostage(s)

☐ Yes☒ No**SOLUTION** (complete when all subjects identified and whereabouts known)Solution claimed: (check) ☐Solution by ☐ FBI☐ local police☐ jointTotal number of subjects           

Narcotic addicts involved

☐ Yes☐ NoNumber           

Location of subject(s) now

☐ Jail☐ Other (specify)           

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REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE 6/1/71	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/3/71 - 5/28/71
TITLE OF CASE  UNSUBS (3); Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, NY, 5/3/71 <i>NEW YORK, NEW YORK</i>		REPORT MADE BY GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY	TYPED BY prp
		CHARACTER OF CASE  BR <i>Handwritten</i>	

REFERENCE:

New York nitel to the Bureau, dated 5/3/71. *NR 5/11/71*

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

A Maximum Utilization memorandum was prepared and furnished to surrounding offices and all agents working BR matters in the NYO concerning captioned matter. To date, no positive information has been received.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:  PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
CONVIC.	AUTO.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES		
APPROVED <i>[Signature]</i>					SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE		
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LEADS:

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AT QUEENS, NEW YORK.

1. Will maintain contact with victim bank.
2. Will continue to review all BR matters coming to the attention of the NYO in an effort to develop logical suspects.
3. Will maintain contact with Detective JOHN ROWAN, 111th Squad, NYCPD, and obtain copies of latents lifted at captioned bank and forward to FBI Laboratory.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

## Copy to:

Report of: GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY                      Office: New York, New York  
Date: 6/1/71  
Field Office File #: 91-10190                      Bureau File #:  
Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECTS (3); Franklin  
National Bank,  
249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard,  
Queens, New York, May 3, 1971  
Character: BANK ROBBERY

Synopsis: At about 1:35 P.M., 5/3/71, three white males carrying handguns entered and robbed captioned FDIC insured bank of [redacted] in bait money. UNSUBS escaped on foot through bank parking lot, continuation of escape route unknown. [redacted] Identifiable photos of two of UNSUBS obtained. Bank processed by NYCPD and latents obtained. Neighborhood negative. **ARMED AND DANGEROUS** Bait money entered NCIC.

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DETAILS:

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PREDICATION

Investigation in this case was predicated upon receipt of a telephone call from the Communications Center of the New York City Police Department (NYCPD) that there had been a bank robbery at captioned bank.

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NARRATIVE OF OFFENSE

At about 1:35 P.M., May 3, 1971, three white males carrying handguns entered captioned Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insured bank. Unknown Subject (UNSUB) 1 held bank manager at bay in front area of bank. UNSUB 2 vaulted tellers' counter and picked up money at two tellers' locations and placed money in light colored plastic shopping bag. UNSUB 3 held tellers at bay in rear area of bank. UNSUBS escaped on foot through bank parking lot, continuation of escape route unknown.

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JURISDICTION

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 5/13/71

[redacted] Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, new York, advised that his bank is insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, under certificate number 7060-2.

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[redacted] advised that in the event the above certificate is needed in a court of law, a subpoena duces tecum should be directed to him.

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DESCRIPTION OF BANK

The Franklin National Bank is located at 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York. The bank is a one story concrete and glass building with a full basement. The platform area is to the immediate left as one enters the bank and the tellers area is located along the west wall of the bank. The bank vault is located in the southwest corner. The right half of the bank is the customer service area, while the basement is a lounge for the employees.

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PROTECTIVE DEVICES

[redacted] Franklin National  
Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, advised that his  
bank is equipped with the following protective devices:



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[redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] on May 3, 1971.

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LOSS

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 5/8/71

[redacted]  
Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard,  
Queens, New York, advised that as a result of the bank  
robbery this date, his bank suffered a loss of

[redacted] was pre-recorded bait  
money, [redacted]

furnished a copy of this currency, which is attached.

[redacted] stated that in the event it is  
necessary to produce any of the above information in a  
court of law, a subpoena duces tecum should be directed to  
him.

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On May 3, 1971, the following attached bait money list was entered into National Crime Information Center:

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INVESTIGATION AT BANK

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 5/10/71

[redacted]  
[redacted] telephone [redacted] Franklin National Bank,  
249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York, furnished  
the following information regarding a robbery at his bank  
on May 3, 1971.

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At about 1:35 pm, [redacted] was sitting at his desk in  
the front portion of the bank when he saw three white men  
coming through the front door. One of these men (unknown  
subject number one) sat down in a chair near the front door  
and pointed a gun at [redacted] and said "It's a holdup, put the  
phone down and put your hands up." [redacted] then put the phone  
down and raised his hands. The man then said "put your hands  
down and hang up the phone." After a short time, this man  
shouted "Come on, take what you got." This man then got up  
and walked out of the bank followed by two other men who  
came from the rear of the bank.

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[redacted] described Unknown subject number one as:

Sex	Male
Race	White (possibly Italian)
Height	5 feet 8 inches
Weight	160
Hair	Greyish black
Age	35 to 37
Characteristics	Clean shaven, wearing brown suede jacket, black pants and carrying a .45 automatic pistol

The only description [redacted] could furnish of the other  
two individuals was that they were white males.

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 5/3/71

[redacted]  
New York, telephone [redacted] advised as follows:

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She is employed as a teller at the Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Expressway, Queens, New York, and was so engaged on May 3, 1971, when the bank was robbed.

She advised that at approximately 1:30 p.m. she was waiting on a customer, [redacted] when she heard someone shout "This is a stickup". She looked up and saw two unknown white males in the middle of the bank floor. One of these individuals (hereinafter referred to as Unknown Subject Number Two (Unsub Number 2)) vaulted the tellers' counter [redacted] while the second, Unsub Number 3, entered the tellers' area through a rear door. Unsub Number 3 began to wave a large handgun in her face, believed to be an automatic pistol, and advised her to "Lay down on the floor". She backed away from her position and went to the rear of the bank where she then lay on the floor.

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While laying on the floor, she heard a lot of commotion behind the tellers' counter which sounded like drawers opening and closing.

The robbers were in the bank for about 3 - 4 minutes. When everything was quiet, she got to her feet and

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Unsubs: [redacted] furnished the following description of the

Unsub Number Two

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	5' 7"
Build	Medium
Complexion	Medium

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by SA HARRY W. PORTER, III:hp Date dictated 5/3/71

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Hair  
Characteristics  
Age  
Weapon

Black wig  
Black mustache (false)  
Late 20's  
None observed

Unsub Number Three

Race  
Sex  
Height  
Build  
Age  
Characteristics  
Weapon

White  
Male  
5' 4" - 5' 5"  
Stocky  
Early 50's  
Clean shaven  
Automatic pistol

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 5/13/71

[redacted]  
New York, telephone number [redacted] Teller, Franklin  
National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens,  
New York, furnished the following information regarding  
a robbery at her bank on May 3, 1971.

At about 1:35 P.M., [redacted] was talking with a customer when she heard some noise and then saw two men running toward the rear of the bank. One of the men (Unknown Subject ) (UNSUB) # jumped over the counter and the other man yelled "get down on the floor." [redacted] then got down on the floor. UNSUB number 2 was going through the tellers' drawers and after a short time said "where are the keys." [redacted] then got up and gave this man the keys to her second drawer which had been locked. This man then opened the drawer and removed the contents. Someone then shouted "Come on" and the men ran out of the bank.

[redacted] described the man who jumped over the counter  
as: a

Sex	Male
Race	White
Height	5'6"
Weight	185 pounds
Age	27 - 33
Build	Stocky
Complexion	Light
Wearing	Black wig and black gloves, dark clothing
Carrying	A yellow plastic shopping bag and a long barrel revolver.

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**[ ] could only describe the other  
individual as a white male.**

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Date

[redacted]  
New York, telephone number [redacted] Franklin  
National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, furnished  
the following information regarding a robbery at her bank  
on May 3, 1971.

At about 1:30 P.M., [redacted] was standing near  
a machine in the rear of the bank when she heard some  
noise near the front of the bank. At that point she  
turned around and saw two men coming to the rear of the  
bank. One of the men jumped over the tellers' counter  
at the rear of the bank and told her to lie down and not  
to move, which she did. [redacted] then heard a lot of  
noise and commotion and after a short time the men left.

[redacted] furnished the following descriptions  
of the two men:

Number 2 the man who jumped over the counter

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	About 30
Height	5'6"
Build	Heavy
Wearing	A wig
Carrying	A plastic bag and a revolver

Unknown Subject 3

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	45 - 50
Height	5'4"
Build	Stocky
Wearing	A hat
Carrying	Automatic pistd.

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NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION

A neighborhood investigation was conducted on May 3, 1971, following the robbery of the Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Expressway, Queens, New York, by Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and officers of the New York City Police Department. Results of the investigation were negative as regards the method and direction of the Unknown Subjects' escape. The following addresses were checked during the investigation:

249-04 57th Avenue  
249-06 57th Avenue  
249-12 57th Avenue  
249-14 57th Avenue  
249-20 57th Avenue  
249-22 57th Avenue  
249-30 57th Avenue  
249-32 57th Avenue  
249-34 57th Avenue  
249-36 57th Avenue

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Detective JOHN ROWAN, 111th Squad, NYCPD, advised that an examination was conducted by Officer KANE, [REDACTED] at the Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York, on May 3, 1971, in regard to the robbery on that date and that several latent prints were obtained.

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BANK SURVEILLANCE FILM

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 5/13/71

[redacted] Mosler Safe Company, 48-31 Van Dam Street, Queens, New York, removed one roll of bank surveillance film at the Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York, in the presence of SA GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY and the film was immediately turned over to SA WISNOVSKY.

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then  
The film was/transported to Film Labs, Incorporated, 126 West 46th Street, New York City, for processing. After processing this film was transported to the Federal Bureau of Investigation Office, New York, New York, where it was viewed by SA WISNOVSKY. The following are photos of two Unknown Subjects which appear on the film.

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[redacted] was shown two photographs taken from bank surveillance film which was taken during the robbery of the Franklin National Bank on May 3, 1971. [redacted] voluntarily furnished the following signed statement:

"I, [redacted] Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Blvd., Queens, was shown two bank surveillance photos depicting two white males taken on May 3, 1971. I identified these photos as being two of the individuals who robbed the bank on 5/3/71 and have placed my initials on the rear of each photo.

"/s/ [redacted]

"Witness: /s/ George A. Wisnovsky, Special Agent,  
FBI, NY, NY, 5/4/71"

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On May 4, 1971, bank witnesses at captioned bank were shown the National Bank Robbery Album, the Fugitive Bank Robbery Album, and the New York Bank Robbery Album with negative results.

On May 11, 1971, [REDACTED] New York State Division of Parole, 314 West 40th Street, New York, New York, was furnished pertinent facts of captioned robbery and bank surveillance photos. [REDACTED] was requested to provide this information to the parole officers in his command in an effort to develop logical suspects. To date no positive information has been received.

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Continuous contact has been maintained with Detective JOHN ROWAN, 111th Squad, NYCPD, in an effort to develop logical suspects, to date no positive information has been received.

During contacts with witnesses on May 4, 1971, May 12, 1971 and May 25, 1971, recent additions to the Fugitive Bank Robbery Album as well as photos of bank robbery suspects in New York and surrounding divisions, have been displayed with negative results.

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1 - Mr. Marshall

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NABRA #601  
July 6, 1971

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS (3);  
FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK  
249-46 HORACE HARDING BLVD,  
QUEENS, NY  
5/3/71  
BANK ROBBERY

Bank Camera Photo

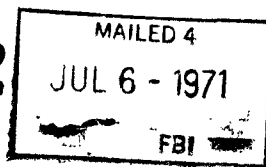
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MODUS OPERANDI: Three unidentified persons entered captioned bank. One individual held the bank manager at bay while NABRA [redacted] vaulted a teller's counter and picked up money from two tellers' stations and placed the funds into a light colored plastic bag. NABRA #601, pictured above, held the tellers at gunpoint at the rear of the bank. Bank loss [redacted]

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DESCRIPTION:

Age: 45-50  
Race: white  
Sex: male  
Height: 5'4  
Weight: 150



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Remarks: carried .45 automatic

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Walters  
Sovars  
Beaver  
Tele. Room  
Holmes  
Gandy

NABRA  
#601

WLM:cms  
(3) 1971

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

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Date: 6/11/71

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
(Attn: NABRA)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (91-10190) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUBS (3);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.  
Queens, NY  
5/3/71  
BR  
(OO: NY)

ReNYtel to Bureau, 5/3/71 and NYrep of  
SA GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY, 6/1/71.

Enclosed herewith are two copies each of  
bank surveillance photographs of Unsubs Number 2 and  
Number 3.

The Exhibit Section is requested to prepare  
NABRA releases with regard to the instant case.

The following information is in regard to  
Modus Operandi and Descriptions:

At about 1:35 p.m., 5/3/71, three Unsubs  
entered captioned FDIC insured bank. Unsub Number 1  
held bank manager at bay in front of bank. Unsub  
Number 2 vaulted tellers' counter and picked up money  
at two tellers' stations and placed money in light

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(1 - Exhibit Section)  
1 - New York

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ENCLOSURE

ENCLOSURE ATTACHED

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

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colored plastic bag. Unsub Number 3 held tellers at bay in rear of bank. Unsubs escaped on foot through bank parking lot. Bank photos obtained of Unsubs 2 and 3. Loss

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Unsub Number 1

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	35-37
Height	5'8"
Weight	160 pounds
Hair	Greyish black
Carrying	.45 automatic

Unsub Number 2

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	late 20s - Early 30s
Height	5'6"
Weight	165 pounds
Wearing	Black wig
	False mustache
	Black gloves
Carrying	Long barrel revolver

Unsub Number 3

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	45-50
Height	5'4"
Weight	150 pounds
Carrying	.45 Automatic

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Bank camera photograph

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS (3);  
FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK  
249-46 HORACE HARDING BLVD.  
QUEENS, NY  
5/3/71  
BANK ROBBERY

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00: New York 91-10190

MODUS OPERANDI: Three unidentified persons entered captioned bank. One individual held the bank manager at bay in front of the bank while the above pictured person, NABRA  vaulted a teller's counter and picked up money from two tellers' stations and placed the funds into a light colored plastic bag. NABRA #601 held the tellers at gunpoint at the rear of the bank. Bank loss

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## DESCRIPTION:

Age: late 20's-early 30's  
Race: white  
Sex: male  
Height: 5'6  
Weight: 165

Remarks: black wig,  
false mustache,  
black gloves,  
long barrel  
revolver

NABRA



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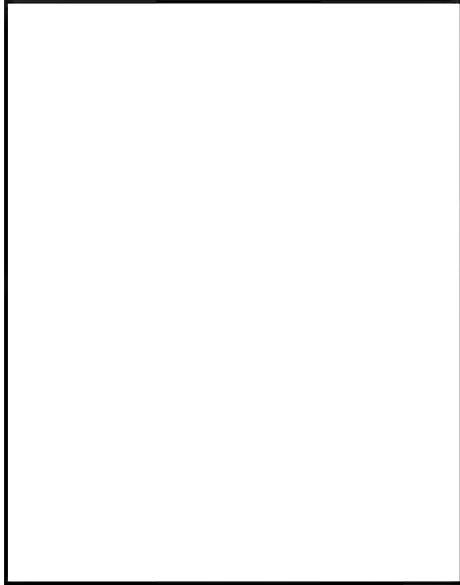
## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

NABRA #601

July 6, 1971

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Bank Camera Photo

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS (3);  
FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK  
249-46 HORACE HARDING BLVD.  
QUEENS, NY  
5/3/71  
BANK ROBBERY

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00:New York 91-10190

MODUS OPERANDI: Three unidentified persons entered captioned bank. One individual held the bank manager at bay while NABRA [redacted] vaulted a teller's counter and picked up money from two tellers' stations and placed the funds into a light colored plastic bag. NABRA #601, pictured above, held the tellers at gunpoint at the rear of the bank. Bank loss [redacted]

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## DESCRIPTION:

Age: 45-50  
Race: white  
Sex: male  
Height: 5'4  
Weight: 150

Remarks: carried .45 automatic

NABRA  
#601

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

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ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU (4)

NYfile 91-10190

UNSUBS (3);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.  
Queens, NY  
5/3/71  
BR  
(OO: NY)

Enclosed are two copies each of  
bank surveillance photos of Unsubs  
2 and 3.

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1 - Mr. Marshall

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NABRA ☐  
July 6, 1971

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DESCRIPTION:

Age: late 20's-early 30's  
Race: white  
Sex: male  
Height: 5'6  
Weight: 165

Remarks: black wig,  
false mustache,  
black gloves,  
long barrel  
revolver

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Tolson  
Sullivan  
Mohr  
Bishop  
Brennan, C.D.  
Callahan  
Casper  
Conrad  
Dalbey  
Felt  
Gale  
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Tavel  
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Soyars  
Beaver  
Tele. Room  
Holmes

NABRA

WLM: cms  
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JUL 14 1971 MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION **13**

REPORTING OFFICE <b>NEW YORK</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>NEW YORK</b>	DATE <b>7/30/71</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>6/3 - 7/26/71</b>
TITLE OF CASE <b>UNSUBS (3); Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York, 5/3/71</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY</b>	TYPED BY <b>lfp</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE <b>BR</b>	

REFERENCE

NY report of SA GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY, dated 6/1/71.  
NY airtel to the Bureau, 6/11/71.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

One of the UNSUBs in captioned case appears similar to one of the UNSUBs in case entitled "UNSUBS (4); First National City Bank, 35-31 Francis Lewis Boulevard, Queens, New York, 7/23/71, (NY 91-10529)". Further investigation will be conducted to attempt to determine if UNSUB is the same in both cases.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT- TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:  PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
CONVIC.	AUTO.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			
APPROVED						SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE		DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW
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1 - Bureau 3 - New York (91-10190) (1 - 91-10529) (INFO)								
Dissemination Record of Attached Report						Notations		
Agency						<div style="text-align: center;"> <b>SIX</b>  <b>STAT. SECT.</b> </div>		
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Date Fwd.								
How Fwd.								
By								

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COVER PAGE

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LEADS

NEW YORK

At Queens, New York

Will maintain contact with victim bank.

Will continue to review all BR matters coming to the attention of the NYO in an effort to develop logical suspects.

Will continue to display all logical photos to witnesses in captioned bank.

Will maintain contact with Det. JOHN ROWAN, 111th Squad, NYCPD.

At New York, New York

Will obtain copies of latents lifted from captioned bank from NYCPD Lab and forward to FBI Lab.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

## Copy to:

Report of: GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY  
Date: 7/30/71

Office: New York, New York

Field Office File #: 91-10190

Bureau File #:

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECTS (3); Franklin National Bank,  
249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New  
York, May 3, 1971

Character: BANK ROBBERY

Synopsis: Contacts with NYCPD, New York State Parole and  
New York City Bureau of Narcotics negative to  
date. Photos of all logical suspects displayed  
to witnesses in captioned bank with negative re-  
sults. Investigation continuing. ARMED AND  
DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS

On June 15 and July 21, 1971, [redacted] New  
York State Division of Parole, 314 West 40th Street, New York,  
New York, was recontacted regarding captioned case with nega-  
tive results.

On July 1, 1971, Detective JIM SULLIVAN, Bank Robbery  
Squad, New York City Police Department (NYCPD), advised that his  
office had developed no positive information in this case.

On June 14, 1971, Detective SID FARBER, Queens Burglary  
Squad, was furnished pertinent facts of captioned robbery and bank  
surveillance photos which FARBER advised would be circulated within  
his office in an effort to develop logical suspects. To date, no



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positive information has been received.

Continuous contact has been maintained with Detective JOHN ROWAN, 111th Squad, NYCPD, without developing any positive information.

On July 20, 1971, Detective ROWAN advised that the Latent Fingerprint Squad of the NYCPD had completed comparing the latents found at captioned bank with elimination prints and that several unidentified latents remained and that photo copies of said latents would be forwarded to the FBI, New York.

During contacts with witnesses at captioned bank on June 7 and July 2, 1971 and July 22, 1971, recent additions to the Fugitive Bank Robbery Album, as well as photos of many robbery suspects in New York and surrounding divisions, have been displayed with negative results.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

INSTRUCTIONS - Reverse side

## Memorandum

AUG 22 1971

TO: Director, FBI  
Att: Special Investigative Division

DATE: 8/23/71

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (91-10190)  
(date)

Fugitive Cards Prepared

- ☒ Initial Submission  
☐ Supplements FD-65 dated \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Photograph not needed

(by)

Indicate following:

- ☐ Racial Militant  
☐ New Left  
☐ Other Security background  
☐ None of these

SUBJECT: EDWARD PRAVATO-FUGITIVE

UNSUBS (2);

Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace  
Hrding Blvd., Queens, NY 5/3/71

BR (OO: NY)

Caution	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MKE	Name	EDWARD PRAVATO	NAM	Sex SEX	Race RAC
					M	W

Birthplace	NAT	Birth Date DOB	Height HGT	Weight WGT	Hair HAI
Brooklyn, NY		10/13/18	5'2"	165	Brown

FBI No.	FBI	Eyes	Visible Scars, Marks, Tattoos, etc.	VSM
1177 931		Hazel		

NCIC Fingerprint Classification	FPC	Other Identifying Number	MNU	Social Security #	SOC
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Operator's License Number	OLN	Operator's License State	OLS	Year Expire	OLY
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Offense Charged OFF Bank RobberyU. S. Code, Title and Section 18, USC, 21B (a) (d)Warrant Issued By US Magistrate, EDNYon 8/23/71 DOW F. O. File # 91-10190 OCA

Date PBV or Bond Default Case Referred to Office \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous MIS Fingerprint Classification (Henry System)

Armed and Dangerous

## LICENSE PLATE AND VEHICLE INFORMATION

License Plate Number	LIC	State	LIS	Year Expires	LIY	License Plate Type	LIT
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Vehicle Identification #	VIN	Year	VYR	Make	VMA	Model	VMO	Style	VST	Color	VCO
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Aliases

Additional Identifiers

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FUGITIVE

NCIC # NIC

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# INSTRUCTIONS

U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE  
FBI

1. **Caution (MKE)** - Insert "C" in block if caution statement indicated. Basis for caution statement must appear in Miscellaneous block, e.g. armed and dangerous.
2. **Name (NAM)** - Place name in this block. Aliases are not to be entered in this block but are to be placed in Aliases block.
3. **Sex (SEX)** - Sex will be designated by one letter, M (male) or F (female).
4. **Race (RAC)** - Race will be described by one letter, W (white), N (Negro), I (Indian), C (Chinese), J (Japanese), O (all other). Mexicans who are not definitely Indian or other non-white should be described as "W".
5. **Birthplace (NAT)** - Indicate city and state or, if foreign born, city and country. Where multiple birthplaces are reported, list verified birthplace or that which appears most logical in this block.
6. **Birth Date (DOB)** - Enter as month, day and year. Where multiple birth dates are reported, enter verified birth date or that which appears most logical in this block. Place other dates of birth in Additional Identifiers block.
7. **Height (HGT)** - Express in feet and inches, e.g., 6' 0". Round off fractions to nearest inch.
8. **Weight (WGT)** - Express in pounds. Omit fractions.
9. **Hair (HAI)** - Color hair to be described as BK (black), BR (brown), BN (blond or strawberry blond), RD (red or auburn), WH (white), GY (gray or partially gray), SN (sandy), XX (unknown), OO (bald). (If hair present and balding, code hair color and enter "balding" in Miscellaneous block).
10. **Eyes** - Indicate color of eyes.
11. **Visible Scars, Marks, Tattoos, etc. (VSM)** - Place in this block only appropriate NCIC coding for visible scars, marks, tattoos, birthmarks, deformities, missing body parts and artificial body parts as defined in NCIC Operating Manual. If more than one VSM is to be entered, use Additional Identifiers block for additional appropriately coded items. Use Miscellaneous block to describe all scars, marks, tattoos, etc. which are not defined in the NCIC Operating Manual and to more fully describe VSM's which have been entered in VSM block. For example, an appendectomy scar, not being readily visible, would be described in the Miscellaneous block. A tattoo on right arm, shown as TAT R ARM in VSM block, might be further described in Miscellaneous block as a rose tattoo on inside of lower right arm.
12. **NCIC Fingerprint Classification (FPC)** - Enter NCIC fingerprint classification.
13. **Other Identifying Number (MNU)** - Miscellaneous numbers may be entered with appropriate identifiers (prefixes) as shown below. For first miscellaneous identifying number, use MNU block. When military service number is in fact Social Security Account Number, the number should be entered in both MNU and SOC blocks. Additional identifying numbers are placed in Additional Identifiers block. The identifier (prefix) should precede the number and be separated from the number by use of a hyphen.
  - AF - Air Force Serial Number
  - AR - Alien Registration Number
  - AS - Army Serial Number, National Guard Serial Number or Air National Guard Serial Number (regardless of State)
  - CG - U. S. Coast Guard Serial Number
  - MD - Mariner's Document or Identification Number
  - MC - Marine Corps Serial Number
  - MP - Royal Canadian Mounted Police Identification Number
  - NS - Navy Serial Number
  - PP - Passport Number
  - PS - Port Security Card Number
  - SS - Selective Service Number
  - VA - Veterans Administration Claim Number
14. **Fingerprint classification (Henry System)** - The Henry System fingerprint classification is to be placed in this block, when available. Do not enter in NCIC.
15. **Social Security Number (SOC)** - Place subject's Social Security Account Number in this block.
16. **Operator's License Number** - Place subject's operator's license number in OLN block. Also show licensing state (OLS) and year license expires (OLY).
17. **Warrant Issued By-On-(DOW)** - In Escaped Federal Prisoner cases enter date of escape in DOW block.
18. **Miscellaneous (MIS)** - Enter additional pertinent information in this block. If caution statement used, basis for statement must be set forth as first item in this block.
19. **License Plate and Vehicle Information** - Place information concerning license plate and/or vehicle known to be in the possession of subject in appropriate blocks under License Plate and Vehicle Information heading.
20. **Additional Identifiers** - Enter information concerning additional license plates (number, state, year expires, and where applicable, type); Social Security Numbers; operator's license number, state and year expires; vehicle information (VIN, VYR, VMA, VMO, VST, VCO); MNU's (see list in item 13 above); visible scars, marks, tattoos, etc.; and dates of birth. Clearly identify what data is being set forth; e.g. Social Security # 423-56-3294; Michigan operator's license 234567, expires 1972; DOB's 4/5/32, 5/3/32; etc.
21. Changes and deletions should be so indicated in the appropriate blocks.

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Records Branch

8-26, 1971

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☒ Service Unit - Room 6524  
☒ Forward to File Review  
☐ Attention \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Return to 1243  
 Supervisor Room Ext.

## Type of References Requested:

- ☐ Regular Request (Analytical Search)  
☐ All References (Subversive & Nonsubversive)  
☐ Subversive References Only  
☐ Nonsubversive References Only  
☒ Main Claim References Only

## Type of Search Requested:

- ☐ Restricted to Locality of \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Exact Name Only (On the Nose)  
☐ Buildup ☐ Variations

Subject Pranvito, Edward  
 Birthdate & Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_

Localities \_\_\_\_\_

R# 55 Date 8/31 Searcher Initials 129

Prod. 91

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FILE NUMBER

SERIAL

91-12214 Identification  
Edward Joseph  
91-1205 Identification

SEP 1 1971

[Signature]  
 [Signature]

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Date: 8/23/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (91-1C190)

SUBJECT: CHANGED  
EDWARD PRAVATO - FUGITIVE  
UNSUBS (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.  
Queens, NY  
5/3/71  
BR  
(OO: NY)

Title changed to reflect name of subject PRAVATO.  
Title previously carried as "Unsubs (3)".

ReNYrep of SA GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY, 7/30/71.

On 5/3/71, three unsubs entered captioned bank. One unsub held bank manager at bay while unsub number two vaulted teller counter and picked up money from two tellers' stations and placed funds into plastic bag. Unsub number three held tellers at gunpoint at rear of the bank. Bank loss exceeded \$25,000.

② - Bureau  
1 - New York

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Approved: [Signature]  
66 SEP 3 1971 Special Agent in Charge

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NY 91-10190

On 8/20/71, EDWARD PRAVATO identified as one of the unsubs through bank surveillance photograph.

On 8/23/71, AUSA, EDNY, authorized prosecution of PRAVATO for Title 18, USC, Section 2113 (a) (d). Complaint was filed and a warrant issued by the USM, EDNY.

FFL will follow.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, Albany

DATE: 9-23-71

✓ FROM : Director, FBI (91-182)

SUBJECT: NABRA

## CANCELLATIONS

### NABRA number

601

2 - All Offices

### Basis

Subject identified as

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Subject identified as Edward Pravato.

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1 - Mr. Marshall

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September , 1971  
FUGITIVE BANK ROBBER # 222

EDWARD PRAVATO - FUGITIVE  
FUBANK # 222;  
UNSUBS (2);  
FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK  
249-46 HORACE HARDING BLVD.  
QUEENS, NEW YORK  
5/3/71  
BANK ROBBERY

OO: NEW YORK 91-10190

Bank Camera Photo

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PROCESS: On 8/23/71 a complaint was filed and warrant issued charging Edward Pravato with violation of the Federal Bank Robbery Statute.

DESCRIPTION:

Age: 52  
Race: white  
Sex: male  
Height: 5'2"  
Weight: 165  
Hair: dark brown  
Eyes: hazel

DOB: 10/13/18  
POB: Brooklyn, New York  
FBI # 1177931  
Remarks: formerly NABRA # 601

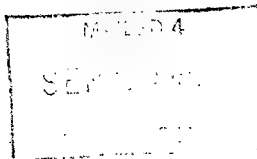
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Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Dalbey \_\_\_\_\_  
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Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

Fubank # 222  
September , 1971

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## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

91-40027

September 28, 1971

FUGITIVE BANK ROBBER # 222

EDWARD PRAVATO - FUGITIVE  
FUBANK # 222;  
UNSUBS (2);  
FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK  
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OO: NEW YORK 91-10190

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Fubank # 222  
September 28, 1971

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Date: 9/9/71

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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
(Attn: FUBANK)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (91-10190)

SUBJECT: EDWARD PRAVATO ✓  
FUGITIVE  
UNSUBS (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.  
Queens, NY  
5/3/71  
BR  
(OO: NY)

*Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.  
Queens, NY  
5/3/71*

ReNYairtel to Bureau, 8/23/71.

Enclosed herewith are two copies of bank surveillance camera photos of EDWARD PRAVATO. Based on interviews with acquaintances of PRAVATO, it is felt that bank surveillance photos depict PRAVATO better than latest mug shot.

The Exhibit Section is requested to prepare a Fubank release with regard to PRAVATO.

The following information is in regard to MO and description:

4 - Bureau (Encls. 2)  
(1 - FUBANK)  
(1 - NABRA)  
1 - New York

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(6)

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ENCLOSURE

ENCLOSURE ATTACHED

4 SEP 10 1971

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_

Per \_\_\_\_\_

55 OCT 12 1971 (38)

NY 91-10190

On 5/3/71, PRAVATO, armed with .45 caliber pistol, and two unsubs, entered captioned FDIC insured bank. One unsub held bank manager at bay while second Unsub vaulted tellers counter and picked up money from two tellers positions and placed money into a light colored plastic bag. PRAVATO held tellers at gunpoint at rear of bank. Bank loss [REDACTED]

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On 8/23/71, a complaint was filed charging PRAVATO with violation of Title 18, USC, Section 2113 (a) and (d). Complaint and arrest warrant issued same date by USM, VINCENT CATOGGIO, EDNY.

PRAVATO described as follows:

Sex	Male
Race	White
Height	5 feet 2 inches
Weight	165 pounds
DOB	10/13/18
POB	Brooklyn, NY
Eyex	Hazel
Hair	Dark brown
FBI #	1 177 93I

Inasmuch as PRAVATO has been identified as subject in captioned case and Fubank requested, it is requested that NABRA number 601 be cancelled. /OK

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ENCLOSURES FOR THE BUREAU (2)

EDWARD PRAVATO

FUGITIVE

UNSUBS (2);

Franklin National Bank

249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.

Queens, NY

5/3/71

BR

(OO: NY)

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PRAVATO.

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SAC, New York (91-10190)

10/7/71

Director, FBI (91-40027)

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adv 10-7-71*

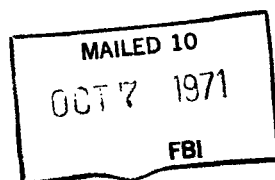
EDWARD PRAVATO  
FUGITIVE  
FUBANK 222  
BANK ROBBERY  
PAROLE VIOLATOR  
OO: New York

The U. S. Board of Parole issued a warrant for the subject on 10/5/71, forwarded to the U. S. Marshal, Brooklyn, New York. Warrant charges subject with violating his parole by commission of bank robbery, failure to report to U. S. Probation Officer as directed, and failure to submit supervision report as required. Bureau assistance to locate subject on basis of warrant is desired by the U. S. Board of Parole.

New York insure that all auxiliary offices are aware of additional Federal process.

CONSIDER ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

ENCLOSURE



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OCT 8 1971

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
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Miller, E.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
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Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
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JLB:ncm  
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ENTERED NCIC 10-7-71 Perch

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
United States Board of Parole  
Washington

WARRANT APPLICATION

TO: United States Board of Parole.

Date 10-05-71

Case of Edward Pravato

Reg. No. A-29779-NE

Race White

Birth Date 10-13-18

FBI No. 1 177 931

Sentence 18 Years  
A-2

District from Southern/New York

Original offense Armed Robbery of National Bank & Conspiracy

Sentence began 07-17-59

Released 11-15-68

District to Eastern  
New York

Transferred to

M.R.

Parole X

Violation date on or about 5-3-71 Termination date 07-16-77

A United States Probation Officer will interview persons designated by the alleged violator and record a summary or digest of their statements bearing on the alleged violation.

Charges:

1. Bank Robbery

Pravato was identified as one of the perpetrators of the Armed Robbery of the Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York, on May 3, 1971, at which time \$25,000.00 was taken. A photograph, taken during the course of the bank robbery, was positively identified as Pravato. An arrest warrant was issued by Magistrate Catoggio, Eastern District of New York, on August 23, 1971, and Pravato is presently being sought.

2. Failure to Report to U.S. Probation Officer as Directed

Pravato was scheduled to report to the U.S. Probation Office on September 7, 1971, in person but failed to report and his present whereabouts is unknown.

3. Failure to Submit Supervision Report as Required

Pravato has failed to submit his monthly written report for August 1971, as required.

Date Warrant Issued 10-05-71

District to which sent Brooklyn, New York

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## MEMORANDUM FOR IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

Bufile <u>91-40027</u>		Name of Subject <u>EDWARD PRAVATO</u>		Date <u>10-7-71</u>
FBI # <u>11779316</u>		Serial #	Other Identifying #	Fugitive Index # <u>27961</u>
Prosecution dismissed		Subject Located		

Prosecution dismissed

Reason and/or by whom:

City

Date

## Action to be taken

Cancel fugitive stops for Index

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Date of Fug Card

Ident Memo Received

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REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE 10/20/71	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 8/5/71 - 10/12/71
TITLE OF CASE EDWARD PRAVATO - FUGITIVE, JUEANK # 222; UNSUBS (2); Franklin National Bank, 249-45 Horace Harding Blvd. Queens, NY 5/3/71		REPORT MADE BY GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY	TYPED BY mtv
		CHARACTER OF CASE BR - PV 10-27-71	

Character "Changed" to add Parole Violator

REFERENCE

NY report of SA GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY, 7/30/71.

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ENCLOSURES (8)

To Buffalo

Enclosed for Buffalo are 2 photos of PRAVATO, 2 photos of [redacted] 2 photos of UNSUB #2 and 2 copies of an MU concerning captioned case.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

On 8/17/71, [redacted] advised that one of the individuals involved in UNSUBS (4); First National Bank, 35-31 Francis Lewis Blvd. Queens, NY. 7/23/71. BR (NY 91-10529), was an [redacted] from [redacted]

[redacted] On 8/18/71, [redacted] advised [redacted] phone number was [redacted] A check of records at the New York telephone company reflected that [redacted]

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[redacted] On 8/19/71, records at the US Parole and Probation Office in EDNY revealed that EDWARD PRAVATO, 92-18 Woodhaven Blvd, Queens, NY, was currently on Federal Probation. On 9/21/71, [redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] It is noted that [redacted] had been unable to provide any information as to the identities of the UNSUBS in captioned case, however, because of the similarities in MO and description between captioned case and UNSUBS (4), First National City Bank, 7/23/71, investigation was conducted and determined that [redacted] referred to by [redacted] was also responsible for the robbery in captioned case. Further investigation in captioned case and UNSUBS (4), First National City Bank, 7/23/71, will be closely coordinated.

LEADS

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AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK. Will display PRAVATO's photo at border crossings and to other logical informants and sources.

NEW YORK

AT QUEENS, NEW YORK. Will maintain contact with victim bank and US Probation Office, EDNY.

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will furnish pertinent information and request logical investigation through Legat, Ottawa.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - USA, EDNY (ATTN: AUSA [REDACTED])

Report of: GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY Office: NEW YORK, NEW YORK  
Date: 10/20/71

Field Office File #: 91-10190 Bureau File #:

Title: EDWARD PRAVATO - FUGITIVE,  
FUBANK # 222;  
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS (2); Franklin National  
Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard,  
Queens, New York, May 3, 1971

Character: BANK ROBBERY - PAROLE VIOLATOR

Synopsis: EDWARD PRAVATO identified as one of unsubs through  
bank surveillance photos. AUSA, EDNY, authorized  
prosecution of PRAVATO for Title 18, USC, Section 2113 (a)  
(4). Complaint filed and warrant issued by USM, EDNY.  
Effort to locate PRAVATO negative to date. Efforts to  
identify other UNSUBS negative to date. Investigation  
continuing. ARMED AND DANGEROUS

DETAILS:

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On August 18, 1971, [REDACTED] United States  
Probation Officer, Eastern District of New York (EDNY), advised  
that EDWARD PRAVATO, date of birth October 13, 1918, was  
sentenced on July 17, 1959 to 18 years for the robbery of the  
First National Bank, 32 Douglas Avenue, Yonkers, New York on  
April 27, 1959. PRAVATO was released from United States Pen-  
itentiary, Lewisburg, Pennsylvania on October 22, 1968, and  
he was currently unemployed, is suffering from emphysema and  
is currently residing at 92-18 Woodhaven Boulevard, Queens,  
New York. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] On October 11, 1971,  
[REDACTED] advised that a warrant for violation of parole was issued  
for PRAVATO on October 5, 1971 and that request was made for a  
warrant for [REDACTED] for violation of parole, but that  
the warrant had not yet been issued.

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 8/18/711

[redacted]  
was contacted by the interviewing agents who immediately identified themselves as Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). [redacted] was questioned concerning the whereabouts of EDWARD PRAVATO. At first [redacted] denied any knowledge of an EDWARD PRAVATO but later admitted that PRAVATO had been living with the [redacted] for the past several years. [redacted] stated that she threw PRAVATO out several months ago and had not seen him since. [redacted] then identified a bank surveillance photograph taken during the robbery of the Franklin National Bank on May 3, 1971 as being EDWARD PRAVATO. Then interview was terminated when [redacted] appeared in the room in a state of intoxication and became loud and abusive.

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On 8/18/71 at Queens, New York File # NY 91-10190  
by SAs ARCANGELO DI STEFANO and  
GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY:mtv Date dictated 8/18/71

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 8/18/711

[redacted]  
furnished the following signed statement voluntarily:

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"On 8/18/71, I [redacted] viewed a photograph depicting a white male running. I identified this individual to Special Agent Ronald E. Mahaffey of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, as Eddie Pravato who used to [redacted]

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[redacted] I placed my signature and today's date (8/18/71) on the reverse side of the above photograph.

"/s/ [redacted]

## WITNESSED:

"/s/ Ronald E. Mahaffey, SA, FBI, NY, NY, 8/18/71."

[redacted] advised that she had not seen PRAVATO for several weeks and had no knowledge of his present whereabouts.

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On 8/18/71 at Queens, New York File # NY 91-10190

by SA RONALD E. MAHAFFEY:mtv Date dictated 8/18/71

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1Date 8/18/71

[redacted]  
New York, was observed by the interviewing agents as he was about to enter a 1968 Cadillac with Massachusetts license [redacted] parked at the corner of Woodhaven Boulevard and Atlantic Avenue, Queens, New York. [redacted] was approached by the interviewing agents who immediately identified themselves as Special Agents of the FBI. [redacted] then advised that he met an unknown white male in the Casy Oak Bar on Woodhaven and Atlantic who gave him \$20 to drive the Cadillac to the Speak Easy Bar on Avenue "X" in Brooklyn, New York. [redacted] was then orally advised of his constitutional rights as contained in an "Interrogation: Advice of Rights" form by SA GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY. [redacted] was then questioned concerning the robberies of the Franklin National Bank on May 3, 1971 and the First National City Bank on July 23, 1971. [redacted] advised he had no knowledge of either of these robberies. [redacted] was then asked if he would consent to a search of his apartment and was furnished an FD-26 "Consent to Search" form which he read and advised he understood and would consent to a search but declined to sign the form. [redacted] then accompanied the interviewing agents to his apartment at [redacted] New York, where a search was conducted.

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As a result of this search, one man's brown, double-breasted suit and one pair of black boots were seized.

[redacted] denied any knowledge of an EDWARD PRAVATO but identified a bank surveillance photograph taken during the robbery of the Franklin National Bank, on May 3, 1971 as a person he knew as "EDDIE" who used to come into the Casy Oak Bar on Woodhaven and Atlantic Avenue, Queens, New York. [redacted] advised that he had no knowledge of PRAVATO's present whereabouts.

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On 8/18/71 at Queens, New York File # NY 91-10190

SAs ARCANGELO DI STEFANO; RONALD E. MAHAFFEY;  
by JAMES F. MURPHY; KENNETH W. LOVIN and Date dictated 8/18/71  
GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY:mtv

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On August 23, 1971, Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA) [REDACTED] EDNY, authorized prosecution of PRAVATO for Title 18, United States Code, Section 2113 (a) (d) for the robbery of the Franklin National Bank, 249 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York on May 3, 1971. A complaint was filed and a warrant issued by the United States Magistrate, EDNY, on August 23, 1971

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1Date 9/2/71

[redacted] Franklin National Bank, 1 Lefrak City Plaza, was shown photographs of six white males including photographs of EDWARD PRAVATO and [redacted] taken on March 7, 1968. After looking at the photographs [redacted] advised he could not positively identify any of the photographs as being any of the individuals who participated in the robbery of the Franklin National Bank, 249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard, Queens, New York, on May 3, 1971.

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On 9/1/71 at Queens, New York File # NY 91-10190

by SA GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY:mtv Date dictated 9/1/71/

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On August 24, 1971, [redacted]

[redacted] was re-contacted and advised that she has had no contact with PRAVATO in the past several months, and that in the event of any contact she will immediately notify the FBI.

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On September 1, 1971, [redacted]

[redacted] New York, advised that he knew EDWARD PRAVATO as "EDDIE" who used to come into [redacted] and lived in the neighborhood, however, [redacted] advised that he had not seen PRAVATO for several weeks and that in the event of any contact with PRAVATO he will immediately contact the FBI.

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On September 13, 1971, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he was [redacted] but that he had not seen PRAVATO since August 7, 1971, when he attended the [redacted] and had no knowledge of PRAVATO's present whereabouts.

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On September 22, 1971, [redacted]

[redacted] telephone number [redacted] advised that [redacted] and that [redacted] had been staying at their home until around the first of September, 1971. [redacted] advised that PRAVATO was a good friend of [redacted] but that she had no knowledge of [redacted] or PRAVATO's present location.

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[redacted] was re-contacted on September 7, 1971 and October 5, 1971, with negative results.

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Continuous contact has been maintained with United States Probation, EDNY, for any information of PRAVATO's and [redacted] whereabouts with negative results.

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During contacts with bank witnesses in captioned case recent additions to the New York Bank Robbery Album, Fugitive Bank Robbery Album and photos of logical suspects have been displayed with negative results.



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Date: 10/20/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (91-40027)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (91-10190, 91-10529) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWARD PRAVATO  
FUGITIVE  
FUBANK 222  
UNSUBS (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Blvd.  
Queens, NY  
5/3/71  
BR  
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(OO: NY 91-10190)

UNSUBS (4);  
First National City Bank  
35-31 Francis Lewis Blvd.  
Queens, NY  
7/23/71  
BR  
(OO: NY 91-10529)

ReNYairtel to Bureau, 9/9/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau, for Legat Ottawa, is original and five copies of LHM setting forth facts concerning two BRs in which a Canadian citizen is believed involved. In addition, EDWARD PRAVATO, an American fugitive is also possibly in Canada and is wanted by the Police Department of Toronto, Canada.

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New York

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

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Also enclosed are four bank camera photos of EDWARD PRAVATO and four bank photos each of Unsub number two in 91-10190 and the four Unsubs in 91-10529, for use of Legat to aid in requested investigation.

The confidential source referred to in LHM is

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In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York

October 20, 1971

Edward Pravato;  
Unknown Subjects (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
May 3, 1971

Unknown Subjects (4);  
First National City Bank  
35-31 Francis Lewis Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
July 23, 1971

At about 1:35 p.m., May 3, 1971, three white males, carrying handguns, entered and robbed the Franklin National Bank, Queens, New York, [redacted] Unknown subjects escaped on foot, and no injuries were sustained during the robbery. Unknown subjects are described as follows:

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Unknown Subject Number One

Age	35-37
Height	5 feet 8 inches
Weight	160 pounds
Hair	Greyish black
Carrying	Automatic pistol

Unknown Subject Number Two

Age	Late 20s, early 30s
Height	5 feet 6 inches
Weight	165 pounds
Wearing	Black wig and false mustache
Carrying	Long barrel revolver

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Edward Pravato;  
Unknown Subjects (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-45 Horace Harding Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
May 3, 1971

Unknown Subjects (4);  
First National City Bank  
35-31 Francis Lewis Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
July 23, 1971

Unknown Subject Number Three

Age	45-50
Height	5 feet 4 inches
Build	Stocky
wearing	Black hat
Carrying	.45 caliber automatic pistol

On July 23, 1971, at about 9:30 a.m., four white males entered and robbed the First National City Bank and escaped with \$75,858. Unknown subjects escaped in an older model black sedan, no injuries sustained during the robbery.

Unknown subjects are described as follows:

Unknown Subject Number One

Age	25-30
Height	5 feet 10 inches
Build	Medium
wearing	Dark brown ski mask
	Dark blue shirt
Carrying	rifle

Unknown Subject Number Two

Age	35-50
Height	5 feet 3 inches - 5 feet 4 inches
Hair	Black
Build	Stocky
wearing	Light colored sports jacket
	Tan fedora with green band
Carrying	Revolver

Edward Pravato;  
Unknown Subjects (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-45 Horace Harding Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
May 3, 1971

Unknown Subjects (4);  
First National City Bank  
35-31 Francis Lewis Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
July 23, 1971

Unknown Subject Number Three

Age	30s
Height	5 feet 5 inches - 5 feet 7 inches
Build	Medium
Wearing	Long bill, white baseball type cap; Light sport jacket Dark slacks

Unknown Subject Number Four

Age	20-30
Height	6 feet - 6 feet 2 inches
Build	Slim
Wearing	Black ski mask Light green jacket
Carrying	Long barrel revolver

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This source also advised that
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Edward Pravato;  
Unknown Subjects (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
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Unknown Subjects (4);  
First National City Bank  
35-31 Francis Lewis Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
July 23, 1971

This same confidential source has advised that [REDACTED]

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A warrant has been issued by the United States Magistrate in the Eastern District of New York (EDNY), on August 23, 1971, charging Edward Pravato with violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2113 (a) and (d) for the robbery of the Franklin National Bank on May 3, 1971.

Pravato is described as follows:

Sex	Male
Race	White
Height	5 feet 2 inches
Weight	165 pounds
Date of Birth	October 13, 1918
Place of Birth	Brooklyn, New York
Eyes	Hazel
Hair	Dark brown
Federal Bureau of Investigation Number	1 177 931

Edward Pravato;  
Unknown Subjects (2);  
Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
May 3, 1971

Unknown Subjects (4);  
First National City Bank  
35-31 Francis Lewis Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
July 23, 1971



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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Washington, D. C. 20537

**REPORT**

of the

**IDENTIFICATION DIVISION****LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION**

YOUR FILE NO. **91-10190**  
 FBI FILE NO. **91-40618**  
 LATENT CASE NO. **A-39999**

**November 18, 1971**TO: **SAC, New York****91-40027-10X**

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RE: **EDWARD PRAVATO - FUGITIVE;**  
**FUBANK NUMBER 222**  
**UNSUBS. (2);**  
**FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK**  
**249-46 HORACE HARDING BOULEVARD**  
**QUEENS, NEW YORK**  
**5-3-71**

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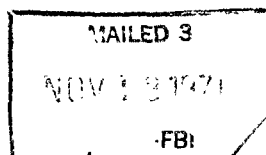
REFERENCE: **Airtel 11-9-71**  
 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: **New York**  
 SPECIMENS: **One photograph**

**Three identifiable latent fingerprints in photograph.**

**Latent prints not identical fingerprints Edward Pravato,**  
**FBI #1177931, or two named suspects.**

**Photograph retained.**

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*J. Edgar Hoover*  
 John Edgar Hoover, Director

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 11-10-71 12:50 p.m. te

Reference No: 91-10190

Received: 11-10-71

FBI File No: 91-40618

Latent Case No: A-39999

Answer to: SAC, New York

91-40027-10X

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: EDWARD PRAVATO-FUGITIVE;  
FUBANK NUMBER 222  
UNSUBS (2); FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK  
249-46 HORACE HARDING BOULEVARD  
QUEENS, NEW YORKDate of reference communication:  
Specimens: 5-3-71, BR

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1 photograph bearing latent impressions  
Named Subject:EDWARD PRAVATO, FBI# 1-177-931  
Named Suspects:b6  
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Result of examination:

Examination by: Leapley  
Evidence noted by:

Nov 10 - photo to photo lab fine  
 Nov 11 - photo neg fine  
 Nov 15 - three lat fpts in photo fine  
 - lat fpt out of fpts  
 Nov 17 - lat fpts out of fpts Pravato  
 - photo retained fine

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Examination completed

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Date

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Date: 11/9/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (91-40618)  
(ATTN: ID/LFS)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (91-10190) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWARD PRAVATO - FUGITIVE;  
FUBANK NUMBER 222;  
UNSUBS (2); Franklin National Bank  
249-46 Horace Harding Boulevard  
Queens, New York  
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ReNYrep of SA <sup>91-40027-9</sup> GEORGE A. WISNOVSKY, dated  
10/20/71.

Enclosed for the ID/LFS is one photograph of  
several latent fingerprints obtained at captioned bank  
by the New York City Police Department.

Request of the Bureau

ID/LFS is requested to compare latents depicted  
in photo with the BB, BL and BR sections of the NULF  
and with the fingerprints of subject EDWARD PRAVATO  
FBI # 1 177931 and suspects [redacted] FBI # [redacted]  
[redacted] and [redacted] FBI # [redacted]

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